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A reserve limekiln which is under construction for the production of carbonic acid should be completed as soon as possible. Reserves of Yugoslav-made firebrick of proper quality must be obtained (from Store) to assure a steady supply.

The system of supplying salt water is another problem. The existing channel should be changed gradually and the possibility of replacing iron pipes with Yugoslav-made asbestos-cement pressure pipes examined. The necessary number of salt-water tanks ought to be obtained from the Kreka salt mine, and measures taken to reactivate dried-up salt mines. Another battery is essential for the production of caustic soda.

The building of a new plant for the electrolysis of common salt was begun before the war, but work on it was discontinued and deferred temporarily. All construction and about three fourths of the assembly of installations has been completed. The remainder of the work can be finished next year [1950? 1951?]. This will alleviate the delay in the development of caustic soda production and, to a certain extent, solve the problem of chlorine production, which is closely allied with the paper and cellulose industry, metallurgy, agricultural pest control, etc.

To date, the electrolysis buildings have been used for purposes other than those originally intended. This practice must cease, the present inventory should be put in order, everything should be removed from the plant that is not connected with electrolysis, and preparations for installation should begin.

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